IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

MDL No. 2492
)
Master Docket No. 1:13-cv-09116
)
Judge John Z. Lee
) Magistrate Judge M. David Weisman

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW APPEARANCE OF MARC B. KLEIN AS COUNSEL OF RECORD

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.17, Defendant National Collegiate Athletic Association ("NCAA"), by its attorneys, moves this Court for an order granting Marc B. Klein leave to withdraw his appearance as one of the attorneys of record in this matter. In support of this motion, the NCAA states as follows:

- Attorneys from Latham & Watkins LLP have filed appearances on behalf of the NCAA in the above-captioned matter.
- 2. Marc B. Klein is leaving Latham & Watkins LLP effective March 15, 2019 and will no longer be participating in this matter.
- 3. The NCAA will continue to have able and competent representation from attorneys Mark S. Mester and Johanna M. Spellman of Latham & Watkins LLP.
- 4. Counsel for the NCAA conferred with Plaintiffs' counsel and Plaintiffs' counsel does not oppose this motion.
- 5. Accordingly, neither Plaintiffs nor the NCAA nor the Court will be prejudiced by the withdrawal of Marc B. Klein as counsel for the NCAA in this matter.

WHEREFORE, the NCAA respectfully requests that this Court enter an order granting the undersigned permission to withdraw as counsel for the NCAA.

Dated: March 5, 2019 Respectfully submitted,

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